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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: McBride *et al*) Examiner: Campell, B.
Serial No.: 08/984,099)
Filed: December 3, 1997) Art Unit: 1632
Title: COTTON FIBER TRANSCRIPTIONAL) TRANSMITTAL
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application.

- Petition for Extension of Time
- Supplemental Response to Office Action
- Small entity status of this Application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a Verified Declaration previously submitted.
- A Verified Declaration of Small Entity Status Under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

Also enclosed:

- Return postcard (postage prepaid).

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The fees have been calculated as shown below:

<u>Claims</u>	<u>Remain after Amend</u>	<u>Highest No. Prev. Paid</u>	<u>Pres. Extra</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>		<u>Large Entity</u>	
				<u>Rate</u>	<u>Fee</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Fee</u>
Total:			0	x \$9	= \$	x \$18	= \$
Indep:			0	x \$39	= \$	x \$78	= \$

If Multiple dependent Claims
are used for the first time in this application, add \$130 (small entity) \$260 (large entity).

Total Additional Claims Fee:

\$

<u>Extension of Time Fee</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Large Entity</u>
[] One Month	\$ 55	\$ 110
[] Two Months	\$190	\$ 380
[] Three Months	\$435	\$ 870
[] Four Months	\$680	\$1360
[] Five Months	\$925	\$1850

Total Other Fees:

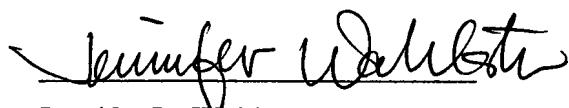
TOTAL FEES: \$

- [] A check including the amount of the above-indicated TOTAL FEES is attached.
- [] Please charge Deposit Account No. 18-0020 in the amount of \$
- [] A check in the amount of _____ is attached.
- No fee is required.
- Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: An extension of time is requested in the present and/or the above-referenced parent application to provide for timely filing if an extension of time is still required after all papers filed with this transmittal have been considered.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any underpayment of the following fees associated with this communication, including any necessary fees for extension of time, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 18-0020.

- Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 including fees for the presentation of extra claims.
- Any parent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 29 June, 2000



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